

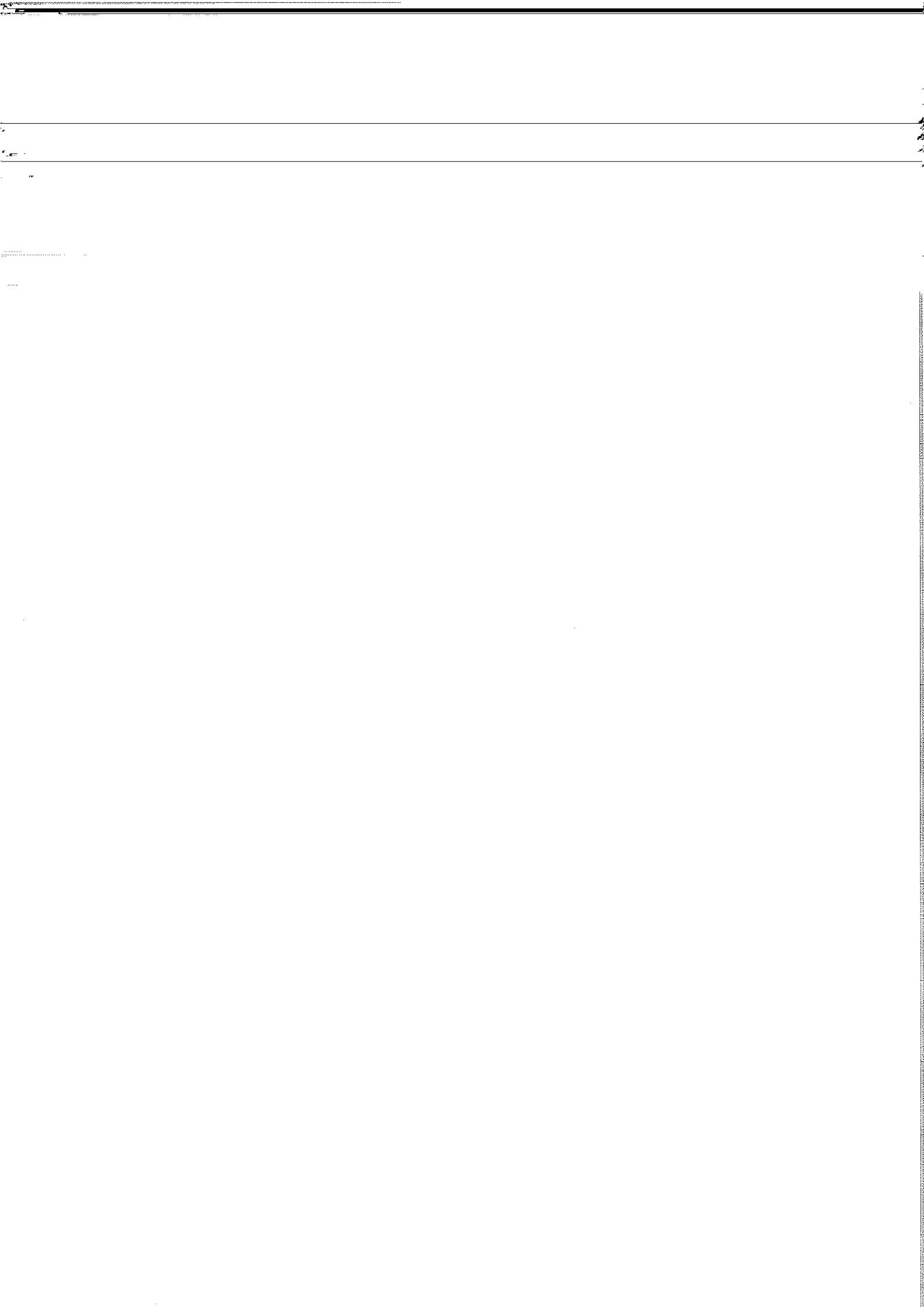
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# Report on the Internal Review BCS Project

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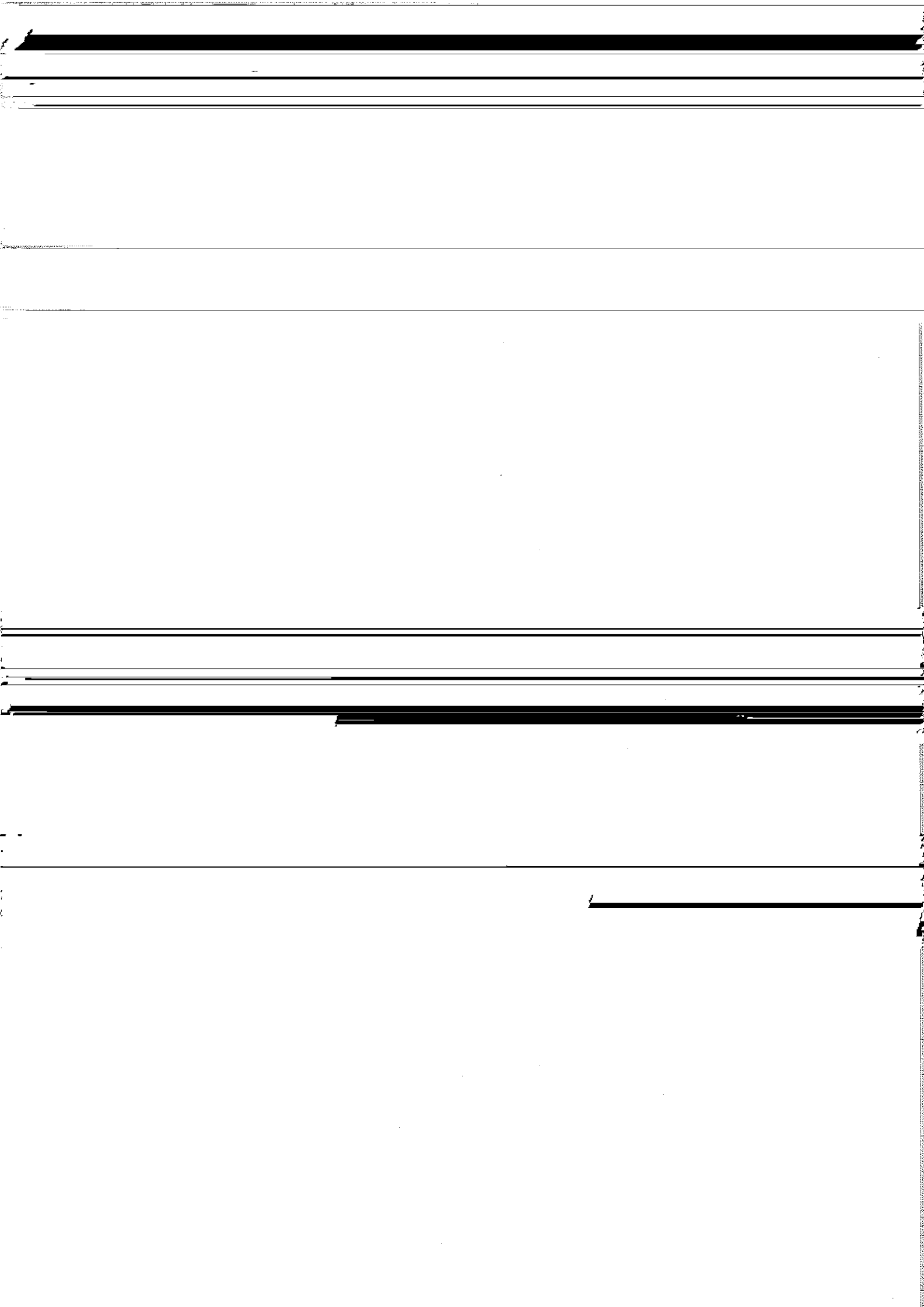
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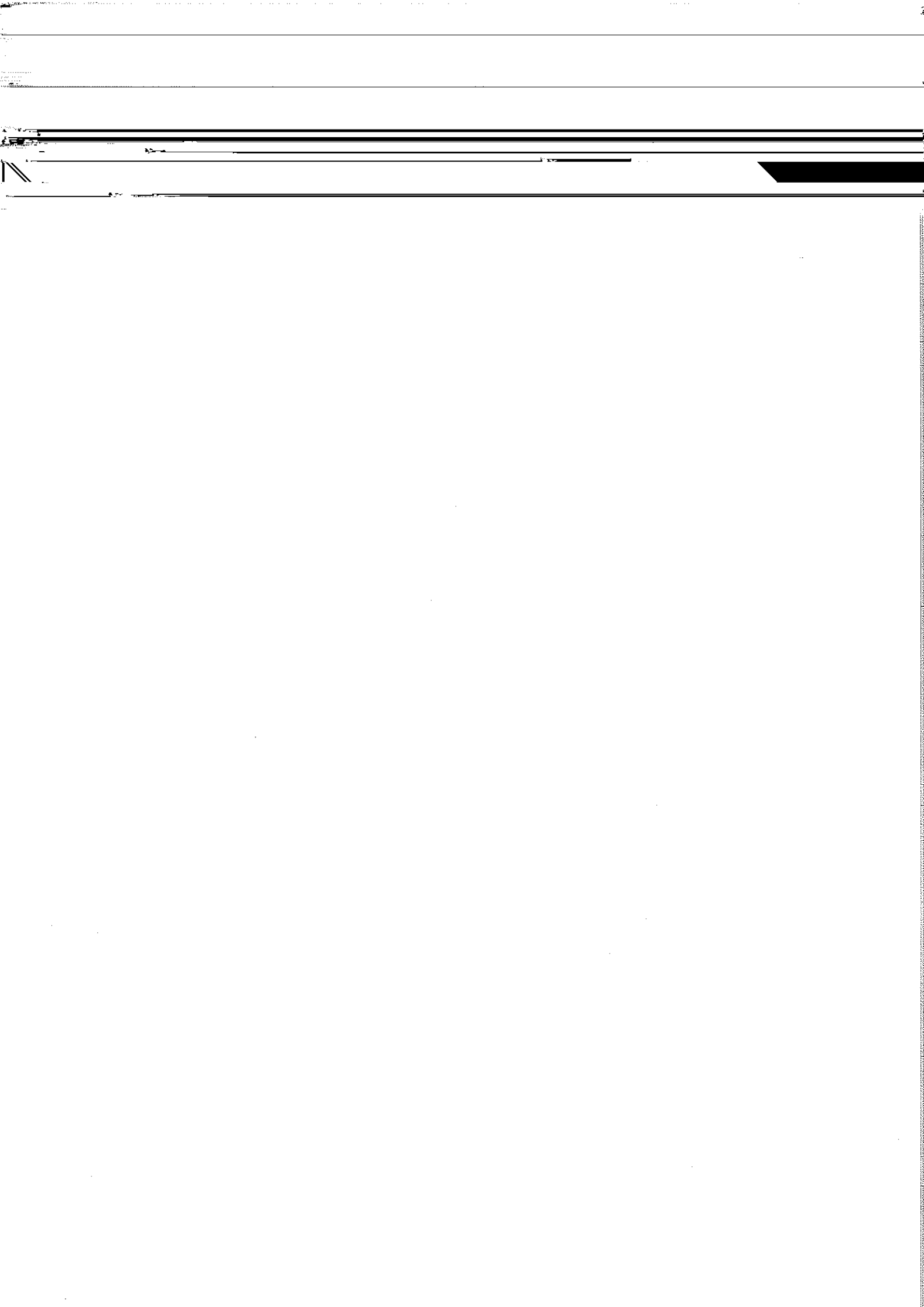
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# Executive Summary

The BCS Project is an initiative of the Government of Balochistan, technically supported by IUCN, with financial assistance from the Royal Netherlands Embassy. The project draws from the Pakistan National Conservation Strategy





In 1993, the GoB approached IUCN for assistance in developing a BCS. A PC1 was prepared by the Planning and Development Department, Government of



The intermediate results as defined are as under:

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Views expressed in these meetings included:

- that the BCS should not be another "top down", discrete project, isolated from its constituents

- that it should actively promote coordination and linkages between the GoB and the civil society

conceived to comprise (and integrate) three "strands" - i) natural resource management issues; ii) social sector issues and iii) institutional and governance issues. The project is to be completed through identification of demonstration

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Some of the main constraints identified were:

- there is a credibility gap among the larger constituency in Balochistan,

## 5. Overall Lessons Learned

Over the period of the project so far, the team has worked with the above  
identified issues. Many of these have been overcome to some extent:

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## 7. Recommendations

The following steps should be undertaken immediately by IUCN-BCS Support

Unit with the concurrence of RNE:

- The entire team should be housed under one roof to provide the critical mass

time;

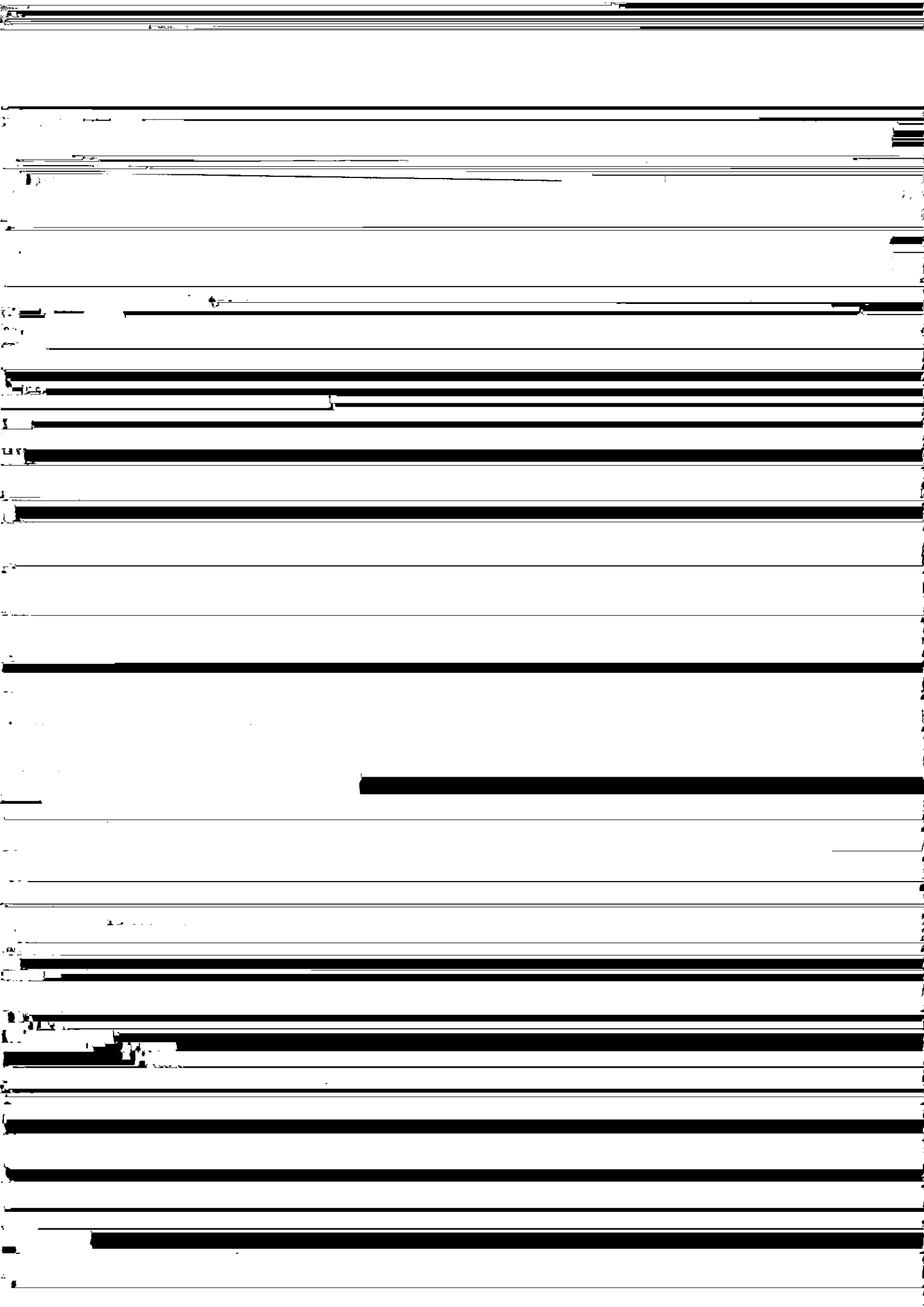
- The second version of the Plan of Operations should be developed in a shorter form, defining the critical activities to be undertaken, and focusing on

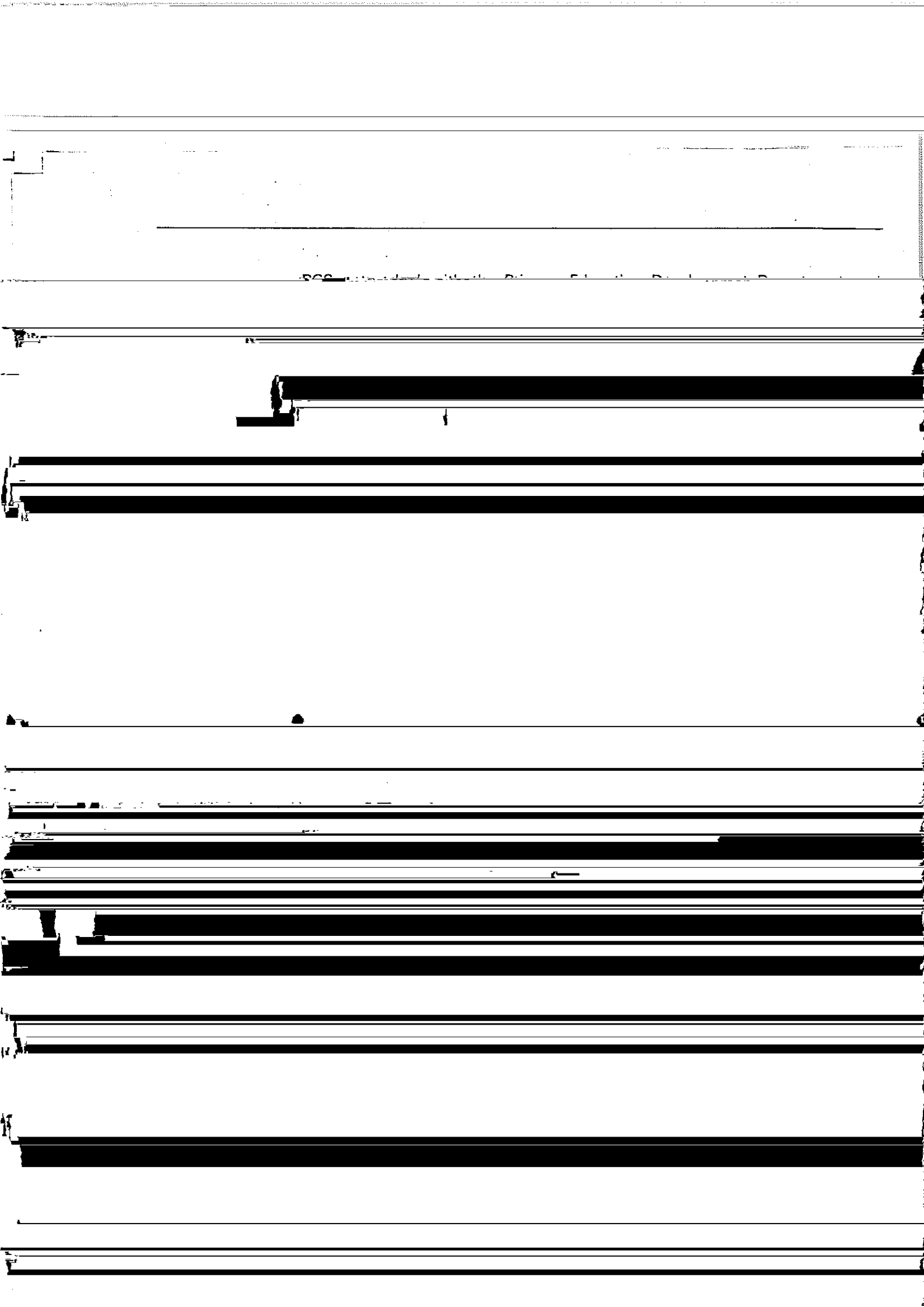


- Initially, the GoB was only able to spare one small room in the P&D department. In October, 1997 two additional rooms in another building were

At that time two of the coordinators shared the IICN







## Lessons Learned

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**Assessment of Progress**

- The NGO Coordinator, Mr. Nadir Gul was recruited in February 1998. He replaced Mr. Usman Qazi who left in December, 1997.
- The first phase of the baseline survey was completed. A questionnaire was

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- It will be useful to review existing and proposed legislation from other



Issues/Constraints

- [redacted] available in the DDC/CI budget for demonstration projects are limited

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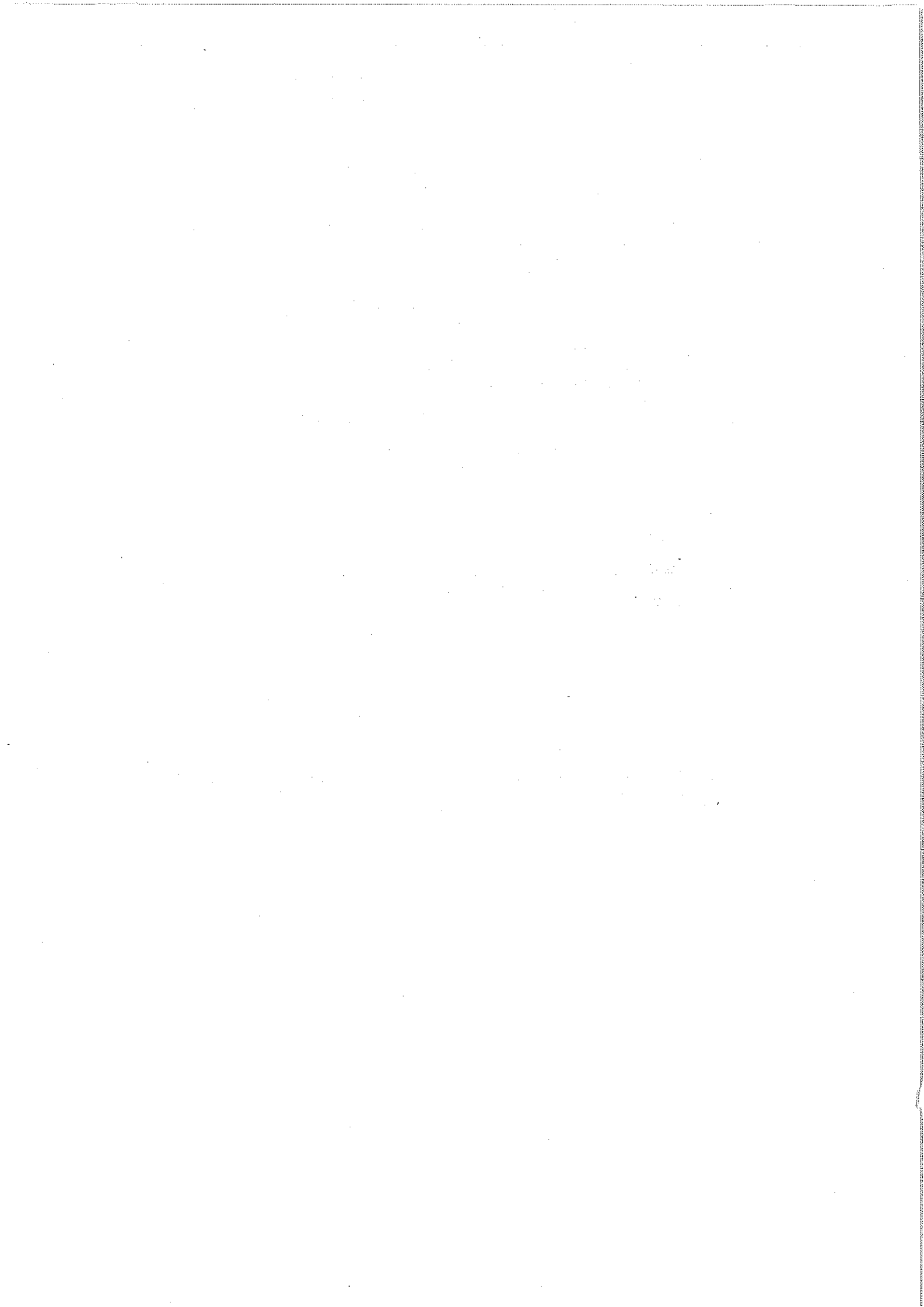
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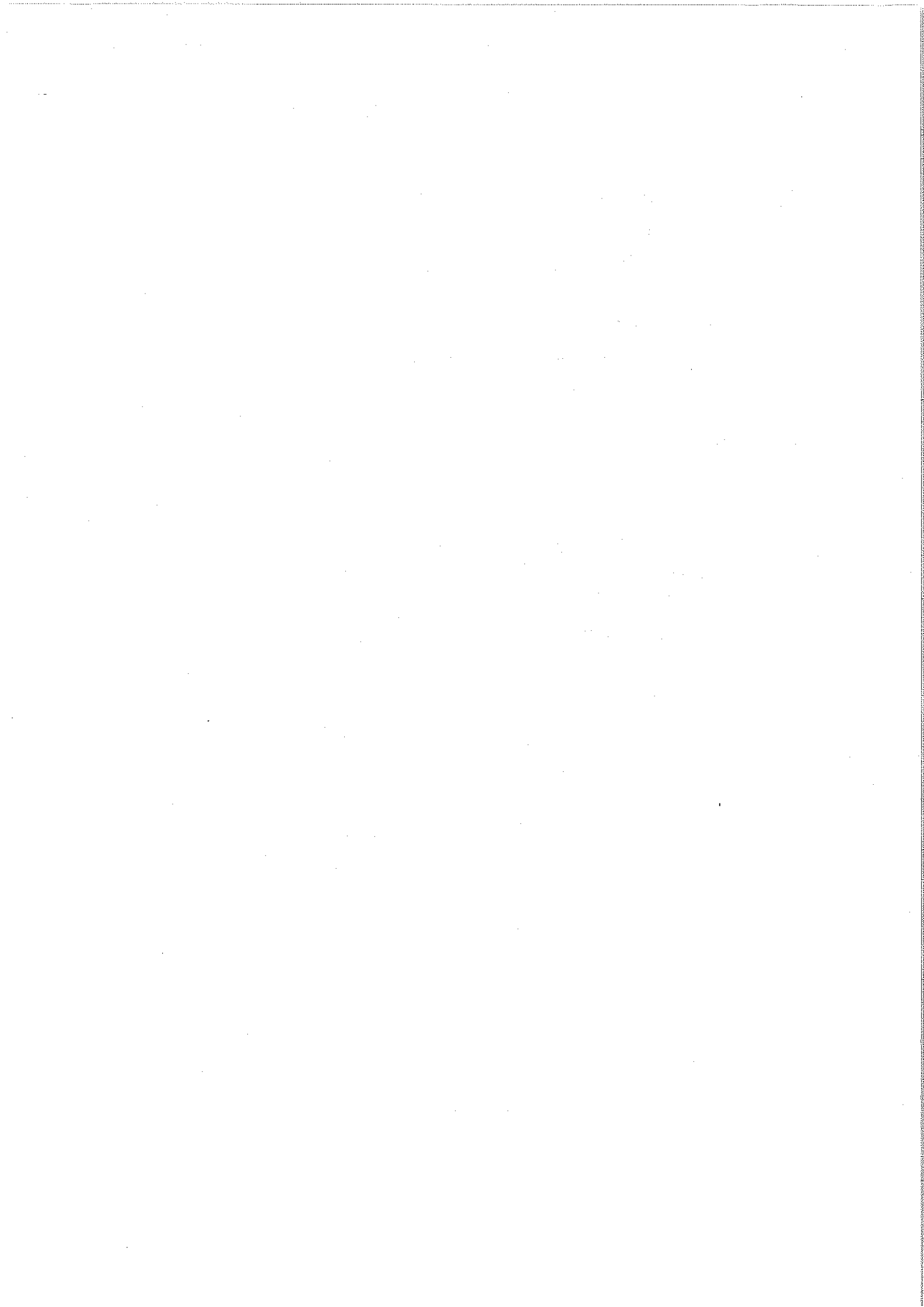
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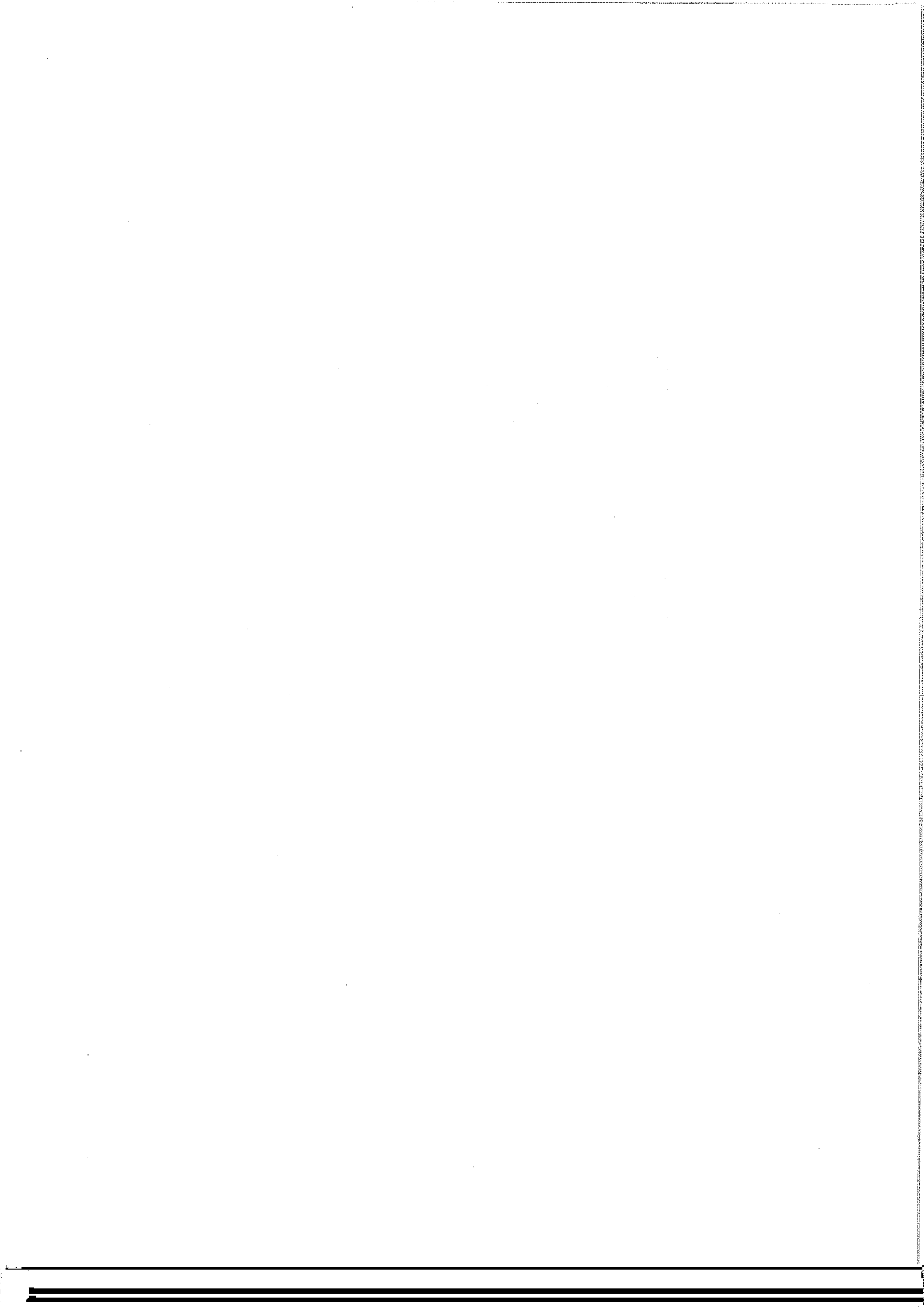
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